



## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

March 8, 2022.

The Department of Agriculture has submitted the following information collection requirement(s) to OMB for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Comments are required regarding; whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; the accuracy of the agency's estimate of burden including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments regarding this information collection received by [INSERT DATE 30 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER] will be considered.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be submitted within 30 days of the publication of this notice on the following website

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**Farm Service Agency**

*TITLE:* Spot Market Hog Pandemic Program (SMHPP).

*OMB CONTROL NUMBER:* 0560-0305.

*SUMMARY OF COLLECTION:* In the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, Economic Security Act (Pub. L. 116-136), the Secretary is using an estimated \$50 million in funds to assist applicants under the Spot Market Hog Pandemic Program (SMHPP). Applicants will receive payments under the

CARES Act to compensate eligible hog producers for hogs sold through a negotiated sale from April 16, 2020, through September 1, 2020.

*NEED AND USE OF THE INFORMATION:* To determine whether a producer is eligible for SMHPP and to calculate a payment, an applicant is required to submit FSA-940, SMHPP application; AD-2047, Customer Data Worksheet (if applicable); CCC-901, Member Information for Legal Entities, if applicable; CCC-902, Farm Operating Plan for Payment Eligibility; CCC-941, Average Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) Certification and Consent to Disclosure of Tax Information; FSA-1123, Certification of 2020 AGI (if applicable); and AD-1026 – Highly Erodible Land Conservation (HELC) and Wetland Conservation Certification. Failure to solicit applications will result in failure to provide payments to eligible producers as intended by the CARES Act.

*DESCRIPTION OF RESPONDENTS:* Businesses or other for-profit and Farms.

*NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS:* 23,113.

*FREQUENCY OF RESPONSES:* Reporting; Other (one-time).

*TOTAL BURDEN HOURS:* 18,105.

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